

FIG. 1 is a block diagram of a network system 100.

100 —→

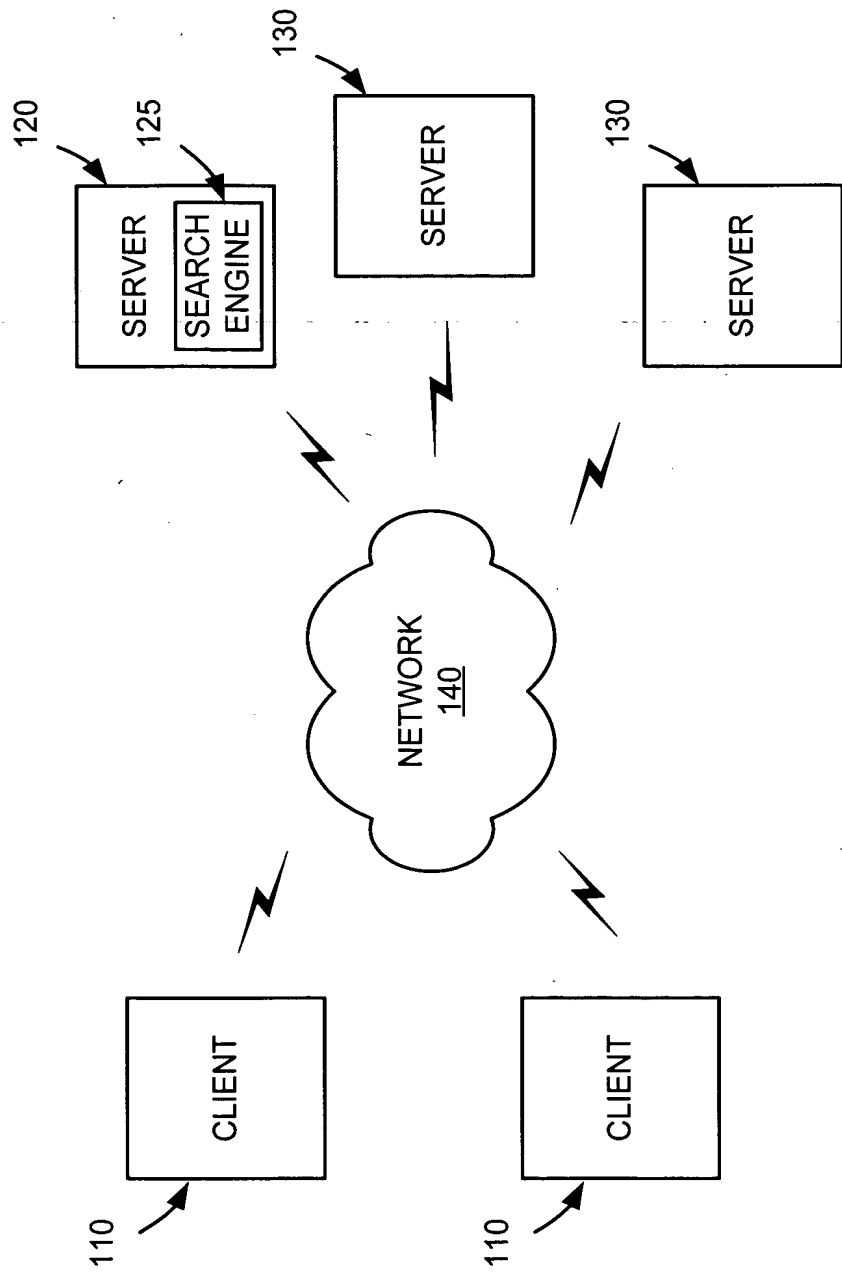


FIG. 1

110

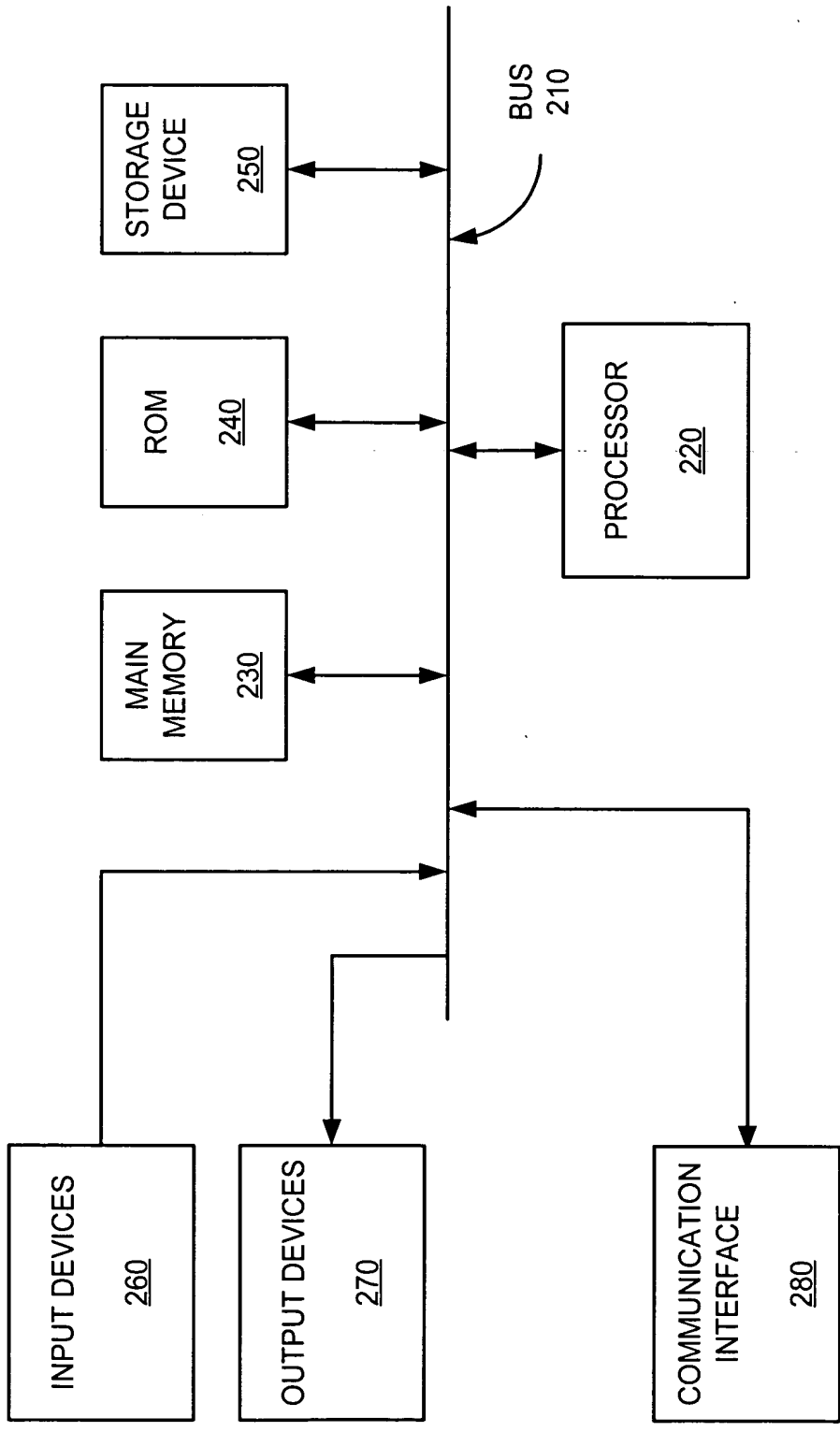


FIG. 2

230 →

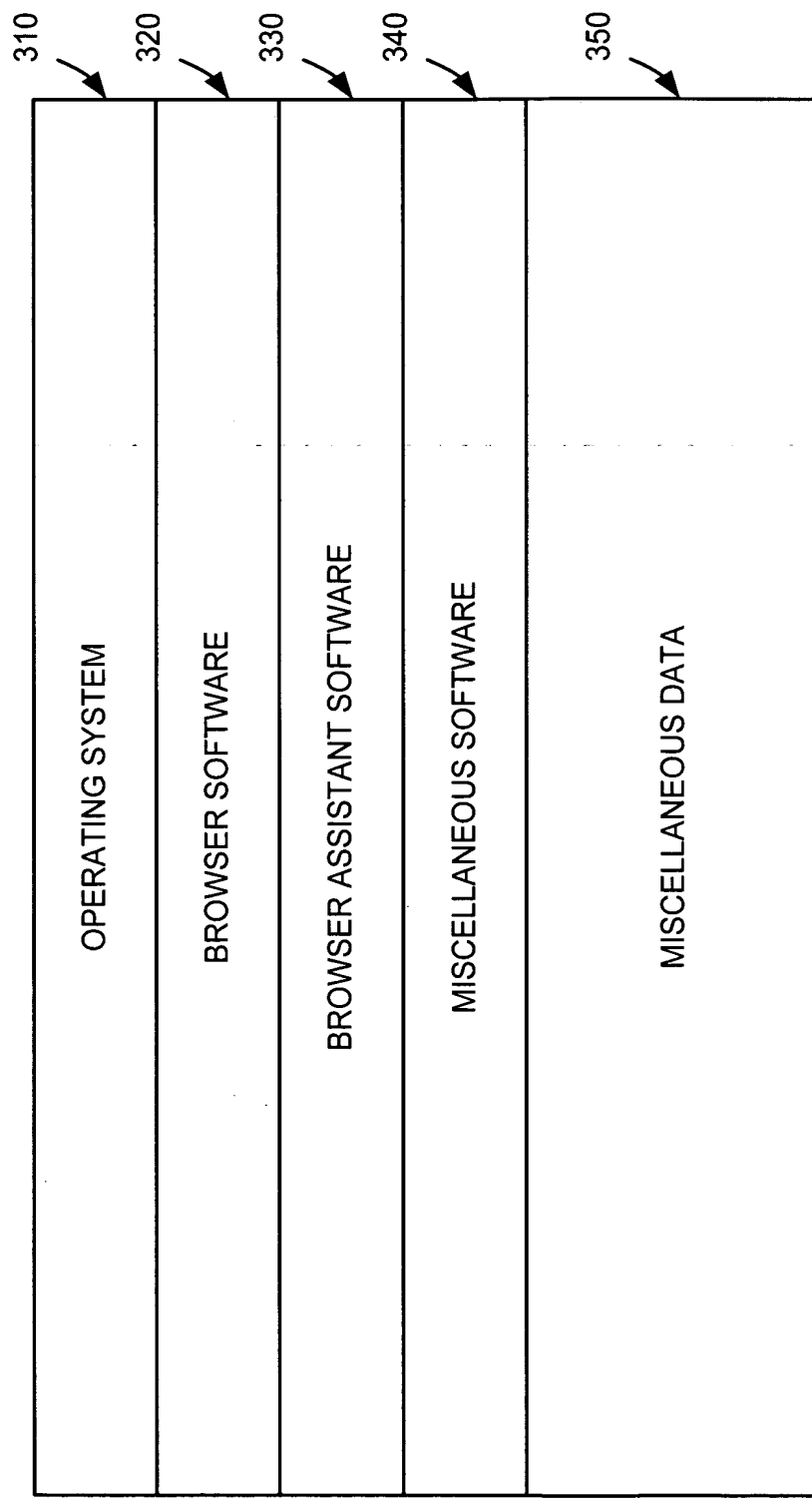


FIG. 3

400

430

410

420

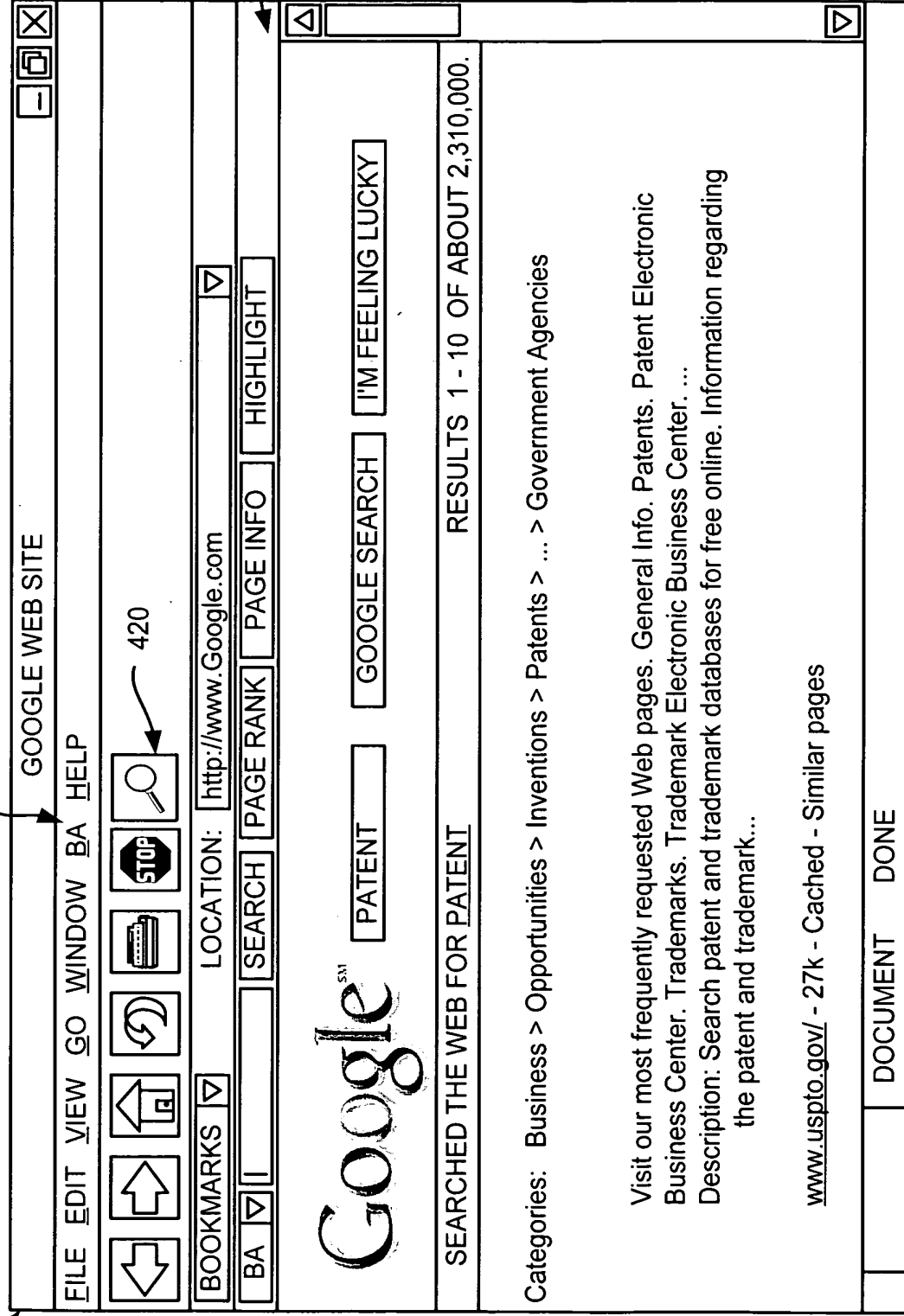


FIG. 4

FIG. 5 is a block diagram of a system 120, in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention.

120 →

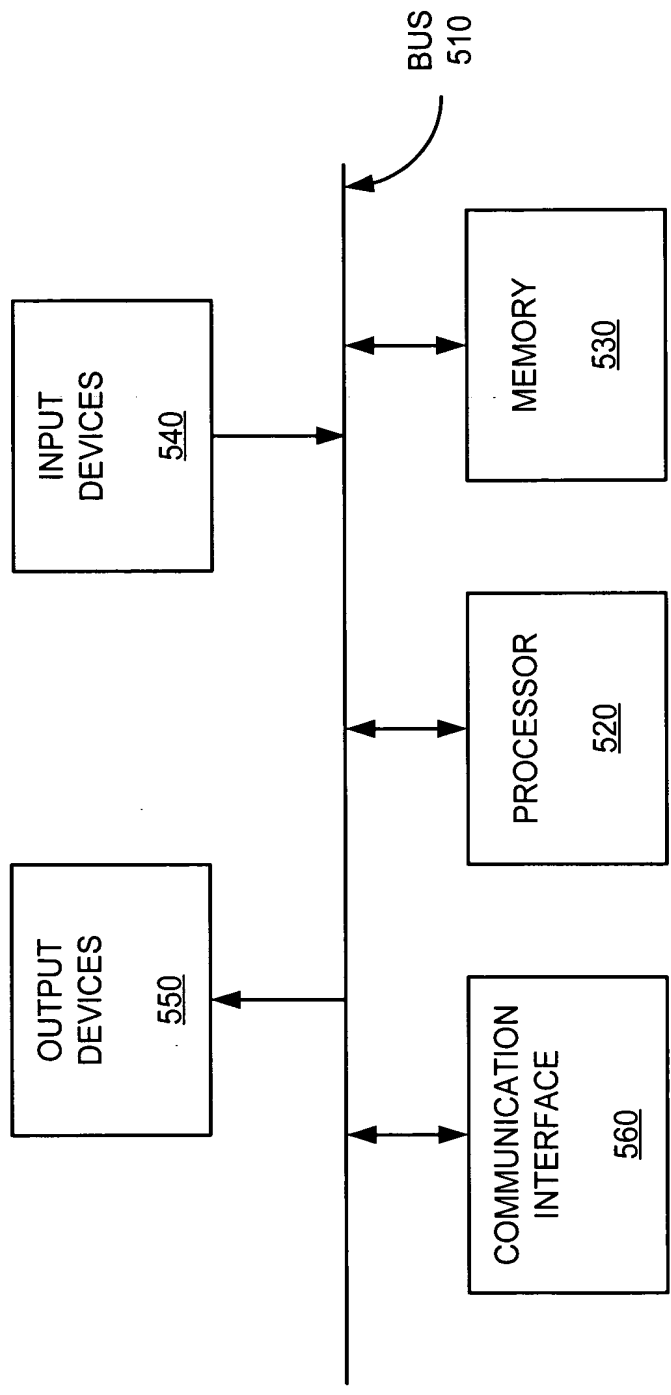


FIG. 5

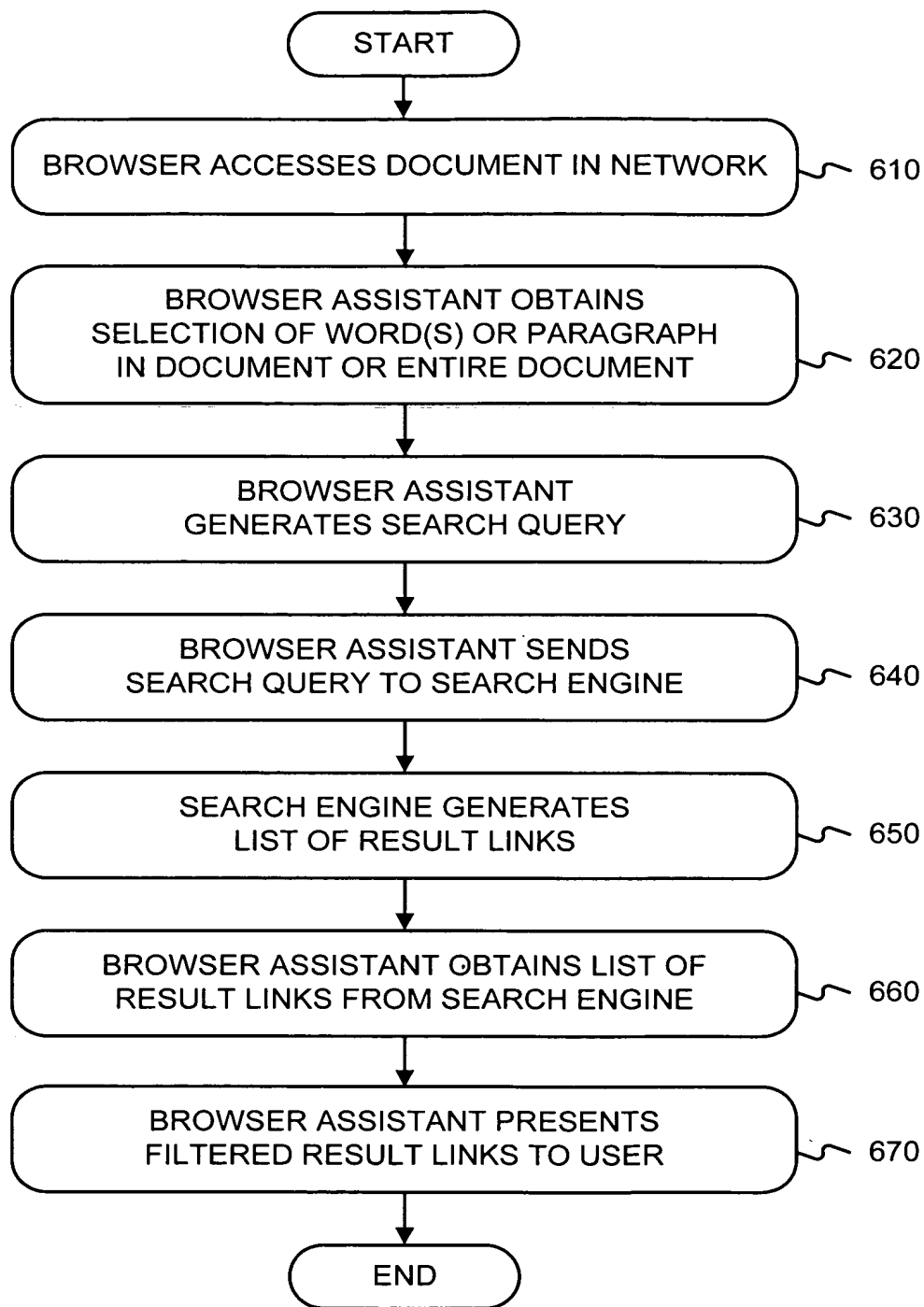


FIG. 6

Net Search: General Tips

... Google automatically **prefers** pages where ... found in **close proximity**.
However, sometimes ... that word. **Automatic** AND ... and" **queries**. That is ...
some **search** engines ...
home.netscape.com/escapes/search/tips_E.html - 14k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)

Advanced Searching

... between a "close" or a ... using a **proximity** operator. We ... searcher normally
prefers to split ... simple **queries** [2]. Others ... your **search** strategy ... is
automatic truncation ...
www.onlineinc.com/onlinemag/MayOL/zorn5.html - 43k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)

Data Management White Papers

... and it **prefers** to have the ... process more **automatic** and less ... that match
search criteria-clouds ... passes the **queries** to UDB ... stored in **close proximity**
to the ...
www.software.ibm.com/data/pubs/papers/datalink.html - 66k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)

Google Search

... Google automatically **prefers** pages where ... found in **close proximity**.
However, sometimes ... that
word. **Automatic** AND ... and" **queries**. That is ... some **search** engines ...
www.maf.govt.nz/MAFnet/links/google.htm - 16k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)

FIG. 7

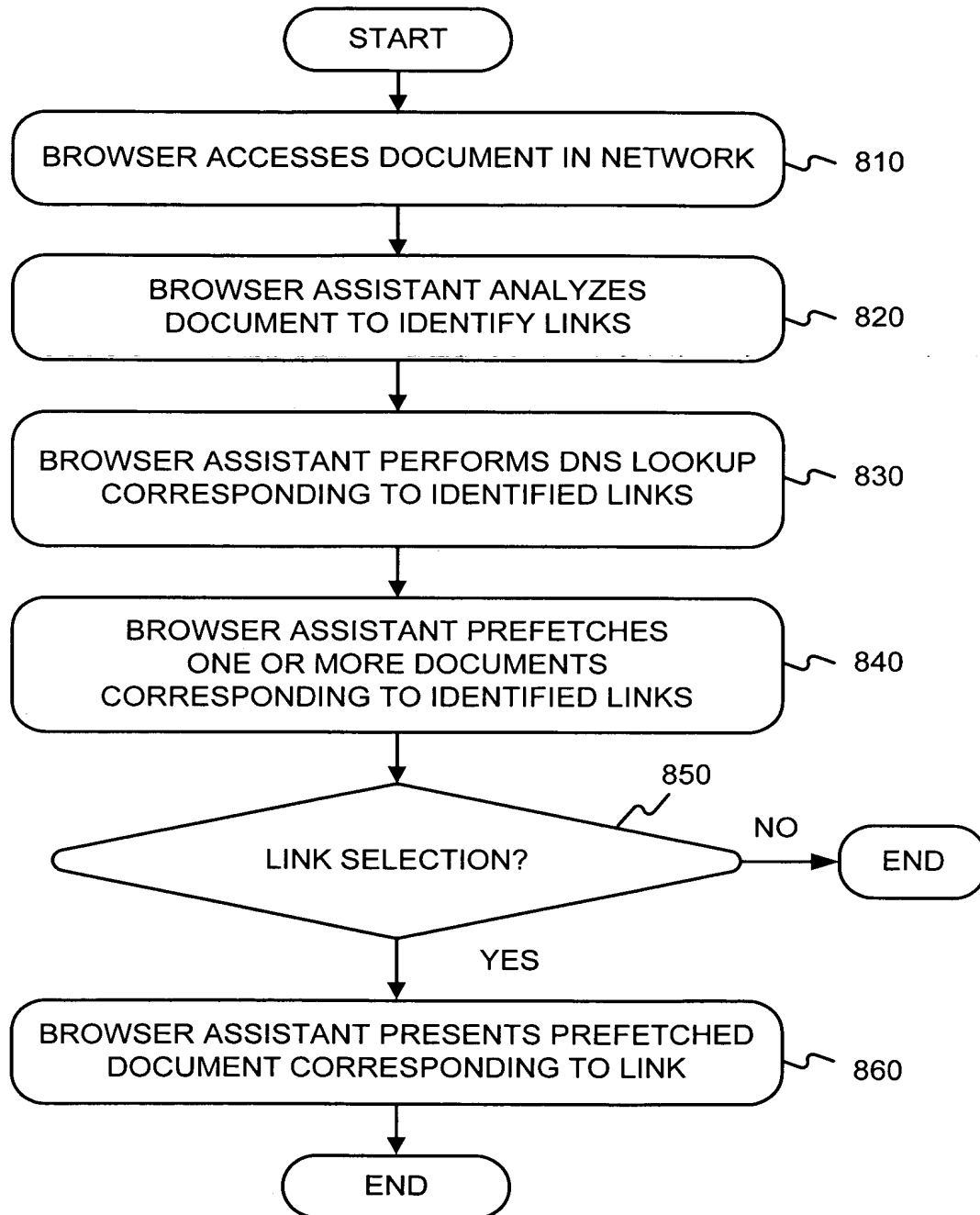


FIG. 8

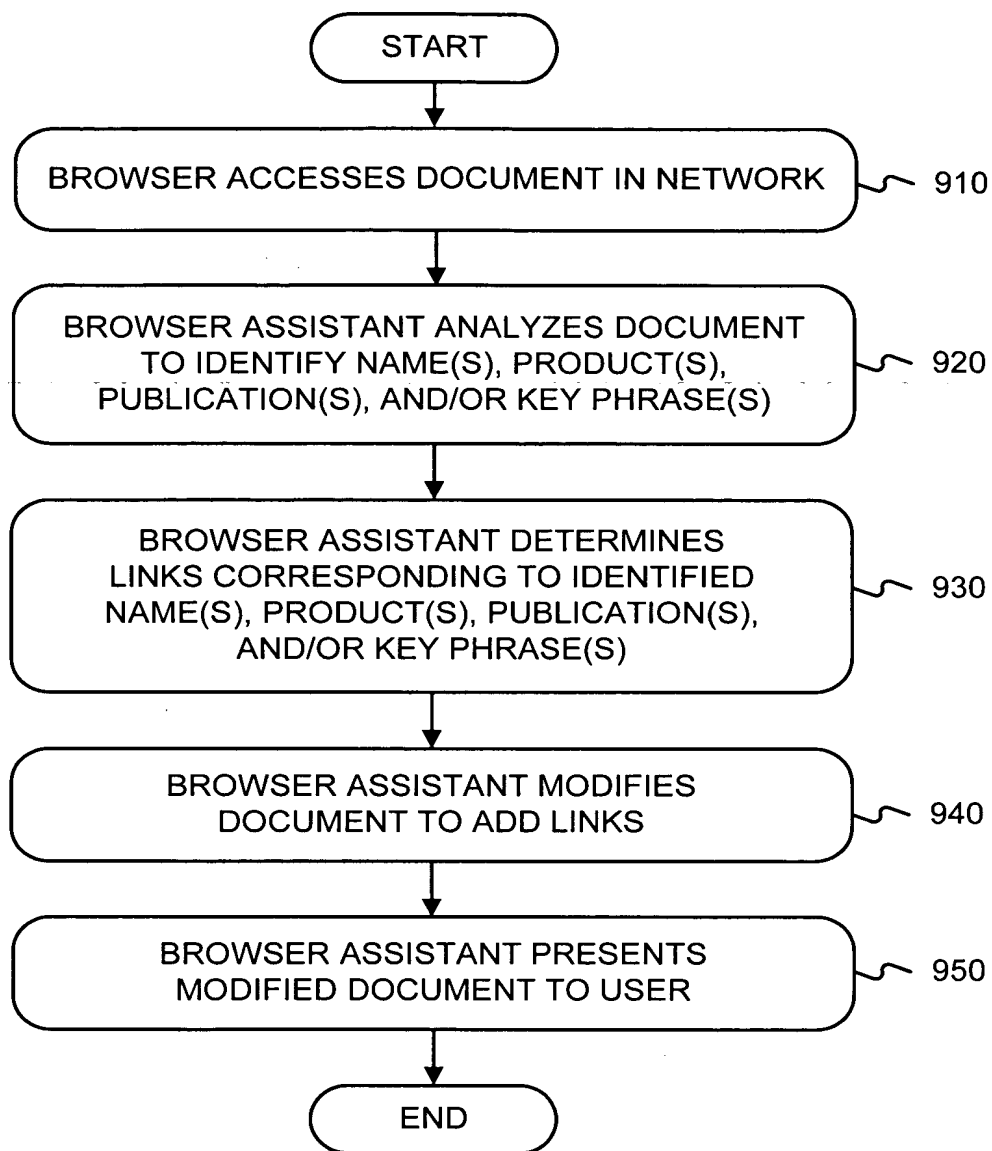


FIG. 9

Google (www.google.com) performs "and" queries by default, so it only returns those pages that include all of the search terms.

To restrict a search further, just include more terms. Google (www.google.com)

query terms are in close proximity. For example, to plan a vacation to Hawaii (www.hawaii.gov), simply enter Hawaii vacation (www.hshawaii.com) into the search field and click on Google (www.google.com) Search.

FIG. 10